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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

Takashi Suzuki et al.

Application No.: 10/722,405

Filing Date:

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Title: POSITION DETECTING SENSOR

Group Art Unit: 2862

Examiner: DAVID M SCHINDLER

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AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Enc	losed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.				
	A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.				
	Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the ☐ \$65.00 (2814) ☐ \$130.00 (1814) fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.				
	Also enclosed is/are				
	Small entity status is hereby claimed.				
	Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$395.00 (2801) ☐ \$790.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).				
	Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.				
	Applicant(s) previouslý submitted				
	for which continued examination is requested.				
	Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.				
	A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.				

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AMENDED CLAIMS						
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Total Claims	7	MINUS	20 =	0	x \$50.00 (1202) =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	1	MINUS	3 =	0	x \$200.00 (1201) =	\$ 0.00
If Amendment adds n	nultiple depen	dent claims	s, add	\$360.00 (1203)		
Total Claim Amendment Fee			\$ 0.00			
Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee			\$ 0.00			
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT			\$ 0.00			

A check in the amoun	_ is enclosed for the fee due.	
Charge	_ to Deposit Acco	ount No. 02-4800.
Charge	to credit card.	Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.